



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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May 31, 2007

Christopher J. Ward, Treasurer
National Republican Congressional Committee
320 First Street
Washington, DC 20003

Response Due Date:
July 2, 2007

Identification Number: C00075820

Reference: Amended October Monthly Report (9/1/06-9/30/06), received 2/6/07

Dear Mr. Ward:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above.** An itemization of the information needed follows:

-The limitation on making coordinated party expenditures on behalf of a House candidate in the State of Wisconsin for the 2006 general election is \$39,600. Your reports and those of your affiliate, however, disclose coordinated party expenditures made on behalf of John Gard totaling \$61,216.58, which appear to exceed the limitations under 2 U.S.C. §441a(d) (see attached).

Please be advised that a national committee of a political party (including a national Congressional campaign committee) must not make coordinated party expenditures in connection with the general election campaign of a candidate in excess of the limits until the political party committee(s) has received notification that the opposing candidate's expenditures from personal funds exceed the threshold amount set forth in the regulations. 11 CFR §400.30(c)

If any apparently excessive expenditure in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information.

If you have made an excessive coordinated party expenditure, you must

notify the candidate and request a refund of the amount in excess of the limitation.

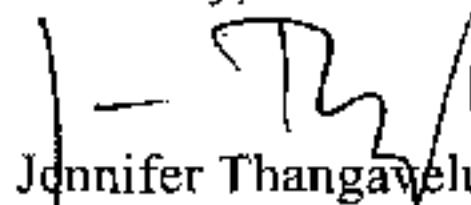
Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund request sent to the candidate. In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received.

Although the Commission may take further legal action concerning the excessive coordinated party expenditures, prompt action in obtaining a refund will be taken into consideration.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1143.

Sincerely,



Jennifer Thangavelu
Senior Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

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Recipient Name	Date	Amount	Report	Contributing Affiliate
GARD FOR CONGRESS	8/24/06	\$29,653.72	Amended 2006 September Monthly, received 11/7/06	Republican National Committee
JOHN GARD	9/8/06	\$15,781.43	Amended 2006 October Monthly, received 2/6/07	National Republican Congressional Committee
JOHN GARD	9/12/06	\$15,781.43	Amended 2006 October Monthly, received 2/6/07	National Republican Congressional Committee

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